

When there appeared { Yeas 158
Nays 269

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YEAS—158

Abercrombie	Gilman	Morella
Ackerman	Green	Nadler
Allen	Greenwood	Olver
Andrews	Gutierrez	Owens
Baldacci	Harman	Pallone
Barrett (WI)	Hastings (FL)	Pastor
Bass	Hefner	Pelosi
Becerra	Hilliard	Pickett
Bentsen	Hinchey	Pomeroy
Berman	Hinojosa	Porter
Bishop	Hoohey	Price (NC)
Blagojevich	Horn	Rangel
Blumenauer	Hoyer	Reyes
Boswell	Jackson (IL)	Rivers
Boucher	Jackson-Lee	Rodriguez
Brady (PA)	(TX)	Rothman
Brown (CA)	Jefferson	Rush
Brown (FL)	Johnson (CT)	Sabo
Brown (OH)	Johnson (WI)	Sanchez
Campbell	Johnson, E. B.	Sanders
Capps	Kaptur	Sandlin
Cardin	Kelly	Sawyer
Carson	Kennedy (MA)	Schumer
Clay	Kennedy (RI)	Scott
Clayton	Kennelly	Serrano
Clyburn	Kilpatrick	Shays
Conyers	Kind (WI)	Sherman
Coyne	Lampson	Sisisky
Cummings	Lantos	Skaggs
Davis (IL)	Lee	Slaughter
DeFazio	Levin	Smith, Adam
DeGette	Lewis (GA)	Spratt
Delahunt	Lofgren	Stabenow
DeLauro	Lowe	Stark
Deutsch	Luther	Stokes
Dicks	Maloney (CT)	Tauscher
Dixon	Maloney (NY)	Thompson
Doggett	Markey	Thurman
Dooley	Martinez	Tierney
Edwards	Matsui	Torres
Engel	McCarthy (MO)	Towns
Eshoo	McDermott	Velazquez
Etheridge	McGovern	Vento
Evans	McKinney	Visclosky
Farr	Meehan	Waters
Fattah	Meek (FL)	Watt (NC)
Fazio	Meeks (NY)	Waxman
Filner	Menendez	Wexler
Ford	Millender-	Wise
Frank (MA)	McDonald	Woolsey
Frost	Miller (CA)	Wynn
Furse	Minge	Yates
Gejdenson	Mink	
Gephardt	Moran (VA)	

NAYS—269

Aderholt	Chabot	Fawell
Archer	Chambliss	Foley
Armey	Chenoweth	Forbes
Bachus	Christensen	Fossella
Baesler	Clement	Fowler
Baker	Coble	Fox
Ballenger	Coburn	Franks (NJ)
Barcia	Collins	Frelinghuysen
Barr	Combest	Gallely
Barrett (NE)	Condit	Ganske
Bartlett	Cook	Gekas
Barton	Cooksey	Gibbons
Bateman	Costello	Gilchrest
Bereuter	Cox	Gillmor
Berry	Cramer	Goodlatte
Bilbray	Crane	Goodling
Bilirakis	Crapo	Gordon
Bliley	Cubin	Goss
Blunt	Cunningham	Graham
Boehert	Danner	Granger
Boehner	Davis (FL)	Gutknecht
Bonilla	Davis (VA)	Hall (OH)
Bonior	Deal	Hall (TX)
Bono	DeLay	Hamilton
Borski	Diaz-Balart	Hansen
Boyd	Dickey	Hastert
Brady (TX)	Doolittle	Hastings (WA)
Bryant	Doyle	Hayworth
Bunning	Dreier	Hefley
Burr	Duncan	Heger
Burton	Dunn	Hilleary
Buyer	Ehlers	Hobson
Callahan	Ehrlich	Hoekstra
Calvert	Emerson	Holden
Camp	English	Hostettler
Canady	Ensign	Houghton
Cannon	Everett	Hulshof
Castle	Ewing	Hunter

Hutchinson	Moran (KS)	Sensenbrenner
Hyde	Murtha	Sessions
Inglis	Myrick	Shadegg
Istook	Neal	Shaw
Jenkins	Nethercutt	Shimkus
John	Neumann	Shuster
Johnson, Sam	Ney	Skeen
Jones	Northup	Skelton
Kanjorski	Norwood	Smith (MI)
Kasich	Nussle	Smith (NJ)
Kildee	Oberstar	Smith (OR)
Kim	Obey	Smith (TX)
King (NY)	Ortiz	Smith, Linda
Kingston	Oxley	Snowbarger
Klecza	Packard	Snyder
Klink	Pappas	Solomon
Klug	Parker	Souder
Knollenberg	Pascrell	Spence
Kolbe	Paul	Stearns
Kucinich	Paxon	Stenholm
LaFalce	Pease	Strickland
LaHood	Peterson (MN)	Stump
Largent	Peterson (PA)	Stupak
Latham	Petri	Sununu
LaTourette	Pickering	Talent
Lazio	Pitts	Tanner
Leach	Pombo	Tauzin
Lewis (CA)	Portman	Taylor (MS)
Lewis (KY)	Poshard	Taylor (NC)
Linder	Pryce (OH)	Thomas
Lipinski	Quinn	Thornberry
Livingston	Radanovich	Thune
LoBiondo	Rahall	Tiahrt
Lucas	Ramstad	Trafficant
Manton	Redmond	Turner
Manzullo	Regula	Upton
Mascara	Riggs	Walsh
McCarthy (NY)	Riley	Wamp
McCollum	Roemer	Watkins
McCrery	Rogan	Watts (OK)
McDade	Rogers	Weldon (FL)
McHale	Rohrabacher	Weldon (PA)
McHugh	Ros-Lehtinen	Weller
McInnis	Roukema	Weygand
McIntosh	Royce	White
McIntyre	Ryun	Whitfield
McKeon	Salmon	Wicker
Metcalf	Sanford	Wilson
Mica	Saxton	Wolf
Miller (FL)	Scarborough	Young (AK)
Moakley	Schaefer, Dan	Young (FL)
Mollohan	Schaffer, Bob	

NOT VOTING—7

Dingell	Hill	Roybal-Allard
Gonzalez	McNulty	
Goode	Payne	

So the motion to recommit with instructions was not agreed to.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. CANADY demanded a recorded vote on passage of said bill, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 276
affirmative { Nays 150

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AYES—276

Aderholt	Bliley	Canady
Archer	Blunt	Cannon
Armey	Boehner	Chabot
Bachus	Bonilla	Chambliss
Baesler	Bonior	Chenoweth
Baker	Bono	Christensen
Ballenger	Borski	Clement
Barcia	Boswell	Coble
Barr	Boyd	Coburn
Barrett (NE)	Brady (TX)	Collins
Bartlett	Bryant	Combest
Barton	Bunning	Condit
Bateman	Burr	Cook
Bereuter	Burton	Cooksey
Berry	Buyer	Costello
Bilbray	Callahan	Cox
Bilirakis	Calvert	Cramer
Bishop	Camp	Crane

Crapo	Kelly	Rahall
Cubin	Kildee	Ramstad
Cunningham	Kim	Redmond
Danner	King (NY)	Regula
Davis (FL)	Kingston	Reyes
Davis (VA)	Klecza	Riggs
Deal	Klink	Riley
DeLay	Knollenberg	Roemer
Diaz-Balart	Kolbe	Rogan
Dickey	Kucinich	Rogers
Doolittle	LaFalce	Rohrabacher
Doyle	LaHood	Ros-Lehtinen
Dreier	Largent	Roukema
Duncan	Latham	Royce
Dunn	LaTourette	Ryun
Ehlers	Lazio	Salmon
Ehrlich	Leach	Sandlin
Emerson	Lewis (CA)	Sanford
English	Lewis (KY)	Saxton
Ensign	Linder	Scarborough
Etheridge	Lipinski	Schaefer, Dan
Everett	Livingston	Schaffer, Bob
Ewing	LoBiondo	Sensenbrenner
Fawell	Lucas	Sessions
Foley	Manton	Shadegg
Forbes	Manzullo	Shaw
Fossella	Mascara	Shimkus
Fowler	McCarthy (NY)	Shuster
Fox	McCollum	Skeen
Franks (NJ)	McCrery	Skelton
Frelinghuysen	McDade	Smith (MI)
Gallely	McHale	Smith (NJ)
Ganske	McHugh	Smith (OR)
Gekas	McInnis	Smith (TX)
Gibbons	McIntosh	Smith, Linda
Gillmor	McIntyre	Snowbarger
Goode	McKeon	Snyder
Goodlatte	Metcalf	Solomon
Goodling	Mica	Souder
Gordon	Miller (FL)	Spence
Goss	Minge	Spratt
Graham	Moakley	Stearns
Granger	Mollohan	Stenholm
Gutknecht	Moran (KS)	Strickland
Hall (OH)	Murtha	Stump
Hall (TX)	Myrick	Stupak
Hamilton	Neal	Sununu
Hansen	Nethercutt	Talent
Hastert	Neumann	Tanner
Hastings (WA)	Ney	Taylor (MS)
Hayworth	Northup	Taylor (NC)
Hefley	Norwood	Thomas
Heger	Nussle	Thornberry
Hilleary	Oberstar	Thune
Hilliard	Obey	Tiahrt
Hobson	Ortiz	Trafficant
Hoekstra	Oxley	Turner
Holden	Packard	Upton
Hostettler	Pappas	Vento
Hulshof	Parker	Walsh
Hunter	Pascrell	Wamp
Hutchinson	Paxon	Watkins
Hyde	Pease	Watts (OK)
Inglis	Peterson (MN)	Weldon (FL)
Istook	Peterson (PA)	Weldon (PA)
Jefferson	Pickering	Weller
Jenkins	Pitts	Weygand
John	Pombo	White
Johnson (WI)	Pomeroy	Whitfield
Johnson, Sam	Portman	Wicker
Jones	Poshard	Wilson
Kanjorski	Pryce (OH)	Wolf
Kaptur	Quinn	Young (AK)
Kasich	Radanovich	Young (FL)

NOES—150

Abercrombie	Clayton	Frank (MA)
Ackerman	Clyburn	Frost
Allen	Conyers	Furse
Andrews	Coyne	Gejdenson
Baldacci	Cummings	Gephardt
Barrett (WI)	Davis (IL)	Gilchrest
Bass	DeFazio	Gilman
Becerra	DeGette	Green
Bentsen	Delahunt	Greenwood
Berman	DeLauro	Gutierrez
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Blumenauer	Dicks	Hastings (FL)
Boehert	Dixon	Hefner
Boucher	Doggett	Hinchey
Brady (PA)	Dooley	Hinojosa
Brown (CA)	Edwards	Hoohey
Brown (FL)	Engel	Horn
Brown (OH)	Eshoo	Houghton
Campbell	Evans	Hoyer
Capps	Farr	Jackson (IL)
Cardin	Fattah	Jackson-Lee
Carson	Fazio	(TX)
Castle	Filner	Johnson (CT)
Clay	Ford	Johnson, E. B.

Kennedy (MA)	Millender-	Serrano
Kennedy (RI)	McDonald	Shays
Kennelly	Miller (CA)	Sherman
Kilpatrick	Mink	Sisisky
Kind (WI)	Moran (VA)	Skaggs
Klug	Morella	Slaughter
Lampson	Nadler	Smith, Adam
Lantos	Olver	Stabenow
Lee	Owens	Stark
Levin	Pallone	Stokes
Lewis (GA)	Pastor	Tauscher
Lofgren	Paul	Thompson
Lowey	Payne	Thurman
Luther	Pelosi	Tierney
Maloney (CT)	Pickett	Torres
Maloney (NY)	Price (NC)	Towns
Markley	Rangel	Velazquez
Martinez	Rivers	Visclosky
Matsui	Rodriguez	Waters
McCarthy (MO)	Rothman	Watt (NC)
McDermott	Rush	Waxman
McGovern	Sabo	Wexler
McKinney	Sanchez	Wise
Meehan	Sanders	Woolsey
Meek (FL)	Sawyer	Wynn
Meeks (NY)	Schumer	Yates
Menendez	Scott	

NOT VOTING—8

Dingell	McNulty	Roybal-Allard
Gonzalez	Petri	Tauzin
Hill	Porter	

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶67.15 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3267

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 500):

Resolved, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order without intervention of any point of order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 3267) to direct the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Reclamation, to conduct a feasibility study and construct a project to reclaim the Salton Sea. The bill shall be considered as read for amendment. In lieu of the amendment recommended by the Committee on Resources now printed in the bill, the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution shall be considered as adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill, as amended, and on any further amendment thereto to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate on the bill, as amended, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources; (2) a further amendment printed in the Congressional Record pursuant to clause 6 of rule XXIII, if offered by Representative Miller of California or his designee, which may be considered notwithstanding the adoption of the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the report of the Committee on Rules, shall be considered as read, and shall be separately debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent; and (3) one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. DREIER, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to

was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶67.16 SONNY BONO MEMORIAL SALTON SEA RECLAMATION

On motion of Mr. DOOLITTLE, pursuant to House Resolution 500, the House considered the bill (H.R. 3267) to direct the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Reclamation, to conduct a feasibility study and construct a project to reclaim the Salton Sea.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

Pursuant to House Resolution 500, the following amendment in the nature of a substitute, printed in House Report 105-246, was considered as adopted:

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the “Sonny Bono Memorial Salton Sea Reclamation Act”.

(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents of this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

Sec. 2. Findings.

Sec. 3. Definitions.

TITLE I—SALTON SEA RECLAMATION PROJECT

Sec. 101. Salton Sea Reclamation Project authorization.

Sec. 102. Concurrent wildlife resources studies.

Sec. 103. Salton Sea National Wildlife Refuge renamed as Sonny Bono Salton Sea National Wildlife Refuge.

Sec. 104. Relationship to other laws and agreements governing the Colorado River.

TITLE II—EMERGENCY ACTION TO IMPROVE WATER QUALITY IN THE ALAMO RIVER AND NEW RIVER

Sec. 201. Alamo River and New River irrigation drainage water.

SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

The Congress finds the following:

(1) The Salton Sea, located in Imperial and Riverside Counties, California, is an economic and environmental resource of national importance.

(2) The Salton Sea is critical as—

(A) a reservoir for irrigation, municipal, and stormwater drainage; and

(B) a component of the Pacific flyway.

(3) Reclaiming the Salton Sea will provide national and international benefits.

(4) The Federal, State, and local governments have a shared responsibility to assist in the reclamation of the Salton Sea.

SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

(1) The term “Committees” means the Committee on Resources and the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources and the Committee on Environment and Public Works of the Senate.

(2) The term “Project” means the Salton Sea reclamation project authorized by section 101.

(3) The term “Salton Sea Authority” means the Joint Powers Authority by that name established under the laws of the State of California by a Joint Power Agreement signed on June 2, 1993.

(4) The term “Secretary” means the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Reclamation.

TITLE I—SALTON SEA RECLAMATION PROJECT

SEC. 101. SALTON SEA RECLAMATION PROJECT AUTHORIZATION.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary, in accordance with this section, shall undertake a project to reclaim the Salton Sea, California.

(b) PROJECT REQUIREMENTS.—The Project shall—

(1) reduce and stabilize the overall salinity of the Salton Sea;

(2) stabilize the surface elevation of the Salton Sea;

(3) reclaim, in the long term, healthy fish and wildlife resources and their habitats;

(4) enhance the potential for recreational uses and economic development of the Salton Sea; and

(5) ensure the continued use of the Salton Sea as a reservoir for irrigation drainage.

(c) FEASIBILITY STUDY.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—(A) The Secretary shall promptly initiate a study of the feasibility of various options for meeting the requirements set forth in subsection (b). The purpose of the study shall be to select 1 or more practicable and cost-effective options and to develop a reclamation plan for the Salton Sea that implements the selected options.

(B)(i) The Secretary shall carry out the feasibility study in accordance with a memorandum of understanding entered into by the Secretary, the Salton Sea Authority, and the Governor of California.

(ii) The memorandum of understanding shall, at a minimum, establish criteria for evaluation and selection of options under subparagraph (A), including criteria for determining the magnitude and practicability of costs of construction, operation, and maintenance of each option evaluated.

(2) OPTIONS TO BE CONSIDERED.—Options considered in the feasibility study—

(A) shall consist of—

(i) use of impoundments to segregate a portion of the waters of the Salton Sea in 1 or more evaporation ponds located in the Salton Sea basin;

(ii) pumping water out of the Salton Sea;

(iii) augmented flows of water into the Salton Sea;

(iv) a combination of the options referred to in clauses (i), (ii), and (iii); and

(v) any other economically feasible remediation option the Secretary considers appropriate;

(B) shall be limited to proven technologies; and

(C) shall not include any option that—

(i) develops or promotes an ongoing reliance on Colorado River water; or

(ii) is inconsistent with section 104 (b) or (c).

(3) PROJECT DESIGN CALCULATIONS.—In making Project design calculations, the Secretary shall apply assumptions regarding water inflows into the Salton Sea Basin that—

(A) encourage water conservation;

(B) account for transfers of water out of the Salton Sea Basin;

(C) are based on the maximum likely reduction in inflows into the Salton Sea Basin; and

(D) include the assumption that inflows into the Salton Sea Basin could be reduced to 800,000 acre-feet or less per year.

(4) CONSIDERATION OF COSTS.—In evaluating the feasibility of options, the Secretary shall consider the ability of Federal, tribal, State and local government sources and private sources to fund capital construction costs and annual operation, maintenance, energy, and replacement costs. In that consideration, the Secretary may apply a cost sharing formula to annual operation, maintenance, energy, and replacement costs that is